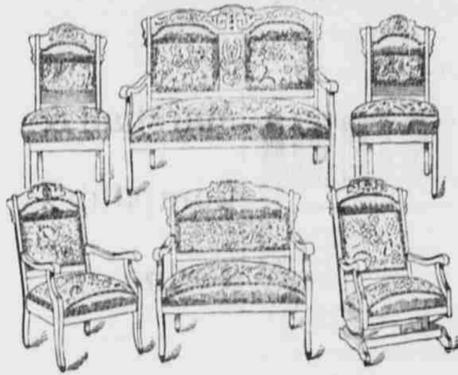
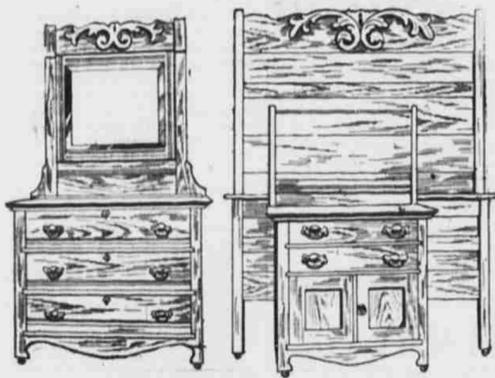


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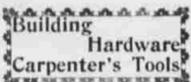
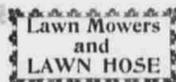
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RAW COTTON PUT ON DUTIABLE LIST

First Time in History of Tariff Legislation Cotton Has Been Included.

THE CLAIM AGAINST SPAIN

Widow of Ruiz Wants \$150,000—Lee's Report Not Yet Received—No One Yet Appointed to Madrid.

Washington, June 8.—By the decisive vote of 42 to 37 the senate adopted an amendment to the tariff bill placing raw cotton, the great product of the South, on the dutiable list, at 20 per cent ad valorem. It is the first time in the history of tariff legislation that cotton has been incorporated in the bill.

The amendment was proposed by Bacon, of Georgia, on his individual responsibility and without the approval of the finance committee, which thus far has been regarded as the success of every amendment, except the minor one which went through by default. The amendment led to a spirited debate, disclosing a wide difference of views and at times caused the exchanging of sharp personal criticisms. On the final vote six democrats—Bacon and Clay, of Georgia; McEgery, of Louisiana; McLaurin and Tillman, of South Carolina, and Rawlins, of Utah—voted with the republicans for the Bacon amendment, while the negative vote was solidly democratic, with one exception—Kyle, populist. The debate on cotton took up most of the day and but little progress was made on the bill. Early in the day the sugar schedule was passed over and the agricultural schedule taken up. The paragraph on cattle went over, but the balance of the agricultural schedule was agreed to as reported, all amendments, except that of Bacon, being rejected.

THE RUZ CLAIM

Washington, June 8.—Assistant Secretary Day said today that the report of Consul General Lee upon the result of the investigation made in Cuba in the Ruiz case had not yet been received at the state department. Consequently it was not possible to learn whether the publications purporting to be copies of the report were accurate.

The widow of Ruiz has filed with the department a claim for \$150,000 for the death of her husband.

It is surmised that the next step in the case will be the presentation of a claim against the Spanish government of the illegal imprisonment.

NO ONE FOR MADRID.

Washington, June 8.—The cabinet meeting today lasted longer than usual. The Cuban situation was discussed in a general way, but the most important subject presented was the Spanish mission. The availability of three men for this important post at Madrid was carefully canvassed, but no decision was reached. One of the cabinet officers said after the meeting that the selection was still open and will now go over until the president's return from his Nashville trip.

THE CRICKET GAME.

Stopped by the Rain—Will Be Resumed Today.

Oxford, England, June 8.—Rain today stopped the cricket game between the American and Oxford teams. The score stood:

Philadelphia, 143 for seven wickets; W. Lester, 72, and King 6; both not out. Play will be resumed at noon tomorrow. The Oxford total is 283.

Lester's fine stand was universally approved by the critics, who regard the Philadelphians and the Oxfordians as being much alike, good bats and mediocre bowlers.

FIRMEN MEET.

Eastern Oregon and Washington Association Teams.

Baker City, June 8.—The third annual tournament of the Eastern Oregon and Washington Firmens Association commenced in this city today, and will con-

NEW OVERLAND ROUTE

Southern and Union Pacific to Buy and Build New Lines.

Omaha, June 8.—Results of the opening of the Ogden gateway and of the disruption between the Union Pacific and the Oregon Short Lines are appearing in railway circles almost daily. One of the latest and most important is the reported purchase and completion of the Salt Lake and Ogden railway by the Union Pacific and the Southern Pacific jointly. The Salt Lake and Ogden railway is built and in operation over twenty miles, beginning at Ogden to Fairmount, seven-tenths miles north of Salt Lake. It is rumored that the Union Pacific and the Southern Pacific are negotiating for the purchase of the Salt Lake and Ogden railway. When acquired the railway will be built through to Salt Lake and the "Overland Route" will have a true 1100 mile Utah coast independent of the Oregon Short Line.

A. O. U. W. MEETING.

Supreme Lodge Opens Session in Milwaukee, Wis.

Milwaukee, June 8.—The 25th stated meeting of the supreme lodge of the Ancient order of United Workmen of the United States and Canada opened today. The sessions will continue for a week or ten days. It is understood that there is an unusually large amount of legislative work on hand, including final action upon the move made by the grand lodge of the order in Ontario to secede from the supreme body. This, it is claimed by the supreme officers, would be tantamount to open rebellion.

SPAIN STUPIFIED

Sagasta Called a Traitor—The Peril of the Situation.

New York, June 8.—A special to the Herald from Madrid says: The whole country is stupified by the extraordinary solution of the crisis. The liberal feeling is violent against Senor Sagasta. The majority of the liberals call him a traitor, accusing him of secretly refusing the queen regent's request to accept office. Great excitement prevails. The peril of the situation so far from being abated by the conservatives continuing in office, is considered as only just beginning.

BOY SHOTS HIS FATHER.

Barbourville, Ky., June 8.—Rev. Harry Lawson, a Methodist divine, was shot and instantly killed today by his 15-year-old son, Isham. The father whipped the boy Sunday for some slight offense, and he left home. The boy returned today, and finding his father in a cornfield, slipped up behind him and blew his head off with a shotgun. The murderer escaped.

THE ELEANOR IN COMMISSION.

New York, June 8.—The yacht Eleanor, owned by Wm. A. Slater, of Norwich, Conn., which has been chartered by Col. Oliver Payne, of the Standard Oil Co., and his nephew, Harry Payne Whitney, who married Miss Gertrude Vanderbilt, for a voyage to the North Cape, went into commission at Port Washington in command of Captain Charles Scott.

THE MARKETS

San Francisco, June 8.—Hops—Crop of '96 quotable at 8 and 12c per pound. Liverpool, June 8.—No. 1 standard California wheat, 28c 3/4. Portland, June 8.—Wheat—Unchanged. Hardman planes, matchless. The Wiley D. Allen Co., 41 Bond street.

NATIONAL SILVER REPUBLICANS

First Meeting Attended by Representatives of Thirty-two States.

THE RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED

Will Avoid All Misunderstandings—Silver or Nothing the Issue—Plan of Campaign Outlined.

Chicago, June 8.—Thirty-two states were represented at the first meeting of the provisional committee of the national silver republican party, which met in executive session today. Besides the committee-men of the various states represented, over 100 silver republicans were present from all parts of the country. The resolutions adopted by the silver republican conference are as follows: "Whereas, it is not the province of this committee to anticipate the action of the national convention in the formation of a platform and declaration of principles; but—

"Whereas, in order to preclude any basis for any misunderstanding or misrepresentation as to the object of this organization, it is prudent to make known the controlling principle of its existence—

"Therefore, it is resolved that the silver party of the United States favors the immediate establishment of bimetalism by the independent action of the United States, through the free coinage of both gold and silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, and the clothing of both metals with every attribute of full money, the right to every debtor to choose which coin shall be the basis of payment; and it is—

"Resolved, That the achievement of this great object is deemed by us of paramount political importance, and shall form the controlling motive of our political action until it is accomplished."

The committee on organization made the following report: "Your committee on plans and organization for the silver republican party of the United States beg leave to submit this, our report: "First—We recommend the appointment of a national executive committee of seven members, including a national chairman to be appointed by the chairman of the national committee.

VENEZUELA FINANCE.

Not Flourishing—Bank Charter Annulled—Crops Good.

New York, June 8.—A special to the Herald from Caracas says: The financial situation in Venezuela is not flourishing. The rate of exchange has never been so high. The situation of the country is calm. The coffee crop promises to be bountiful. The minds of the people, Mr. Tenti, has left Venezuela. The considerable concession granted to the banking firm of Rutgers De Beuxfort, of Amsterdam, for the creation of a bank with a capital of 15,000,000 francs, will be annulled at once by the government, the creators of the bank not having fulfilled their contract, which obliges them to deposit 2,000,000 francs in the safe of the government sixty days after the signature of the contract.

THE MINING CONVENTION.

Denver Will Have a Large Attendance of Miners in July.

will meet here on July 7. Delegates have been appointed by the governors and various organizations named in the call from a number of states in all sections of the Union. Every state west of the Mississippi river will be represented by large delegations, while thus far every state east and south interested in any department of mining has either selected delegates or given notice in advance of ample representation. Official delegates have been appointed from two states in Mexico and others promised. According to the basis of representation, which embraces state, county and municipal organizations, and all mining, commercial and general associations, at the present rate of appointments it can safely be said that delegates will be named by thousands during the intervening four weeks.

THE INDIAN AFFAIR.

May Be a Mixup Any Moment—Orders From the War Department.

Denver, Col., June 8.—A special to the Rocky Mountain News from Miles City says: There is very little change in the Indian situation today. The sheriff should reach the reservation tonight.

It is generally thought among citizens who know Chief White Bull that he will not be taken alive. White Bull and his followers at large and 30 determined men are trying to arrest him. Four companies of soldiers on hand make matters complicated, and a mixup may occur at any moment.

Orders were received today by the commanding officer of Fort Keogh from the war department at Washington to inform Major Newell, who has charge of the troops from Fort Keogh at the reservation, not to return to Fort Keogh until further advice from that office. It was Major Newell's intention to leave the reservation and reach Keogh by the 15th. The orders were immediately forwarded to Major Newell by couriers on bicycles.

EXPLOSION IN CHICAGO.

Careless Workman Sets Off a Fireworks Factory.

Chicago, June 8.—A match dropped carelessly by one of the workmen in the fireworks factory of M. Schure, at West Van Buren and Halsted streets, caused a terrific explosion a few minutes after 6 o'clock tonight. It was shortly after the closing time of the factory, and many of the workmen had gone home, otherwise the loss of life must have been very heavy. As it was, a number of employes were badly hurt, and flying rocks and candles struck several people who were passing in the street; cars and on the sidewalk.

The building was almost entirely destroyed by the fire. The total loss was \$20,000.

BUCKET SHOPS CLEARED.

Kansas City, Mo., June 8.—Al and Ed Baker, keepers of "Dynamite" bucket shop in Kansas City, Kan., who were last week tried on the charge of gambling, have been discharged by Judge Frost of that city. Although the state attempted to show that the quotations originated only a few blocks from the "exchange," the judge held that it was clearly shown that the shop was conducted after the manner of an ordinary bucket shop, except that alleged mining stock quotations were used instead of the quotations on provisions and grain.

YELLOW FEVER IN PANAMA.

New York, June 8.—A special to the Herald from Lima, Peru, says: The steamer Santiago, from Panama, which arrived in port at Callao, has been ordered to quarantine, having yellow fever on board. August Oelsen, a passenger from Panama, is so seriously ill with the fever that it is believed he will die.

CROWDS GO TO ALASKA.

Port Townsend, Wash., June 8.—The excursion steamer Queen sailed for Alaska this evening with 176 cabin passengers. Many wealthy men in the party are going with the expectation of investing in Alaskan mining propositions.

GENERAL MILES IN ROME.

Rome, June 8.—General Nelson A. Miles, U. S. A., yesterday paid a long visit to the minister of war, Lieutenant General Pelloux. The general started for London today, where he will represent the United States army at the queen's jubilee celebration.

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THE REPUBLICANS AGREE IN CAUCUS

Differences on Sugar Schedule Harmonized by the Meeting.

ALDRICH FALLS INTO LINE

Announcement Received with Demonstrations of Approval—Finance Committee to Report New Sugar Schedule.

Special to the Astorian. Washington, June 8.—The republican caucus today was well attended. Senator Aldrich, after the caucus adjourned, said it was very successful, and he felt that the republicans were going to stand together on all the schedules of the tariff bill, and that an agreement would be reached where differences of opinion existed.

The important feature of the meeting was the determination reached to vote together as a party. The caucus instructed the finance committee to report a new sugar schedule, to be all specific, and on all sugar which has come through the process of refining 1.56-100 of a cent per pound duty instead of 1.875-100 of a cent per pound, as provided by the house. Coarse raw sugars from the Philippine islands and Java are to be admitted at one-tenth of a cent less than other raw sugars.

Mr. Aldrich, who is generally credited with the authorship of the finance committee provisions, had been expected to stand out stiffly for the amendments, but he did not do so. He said that his interest in the revision as a whole was superior to his interest in any particular schedule, though the committee rates were equitable in the line of republican policy, but he was willing to subordinate his judgment to the majority. The announcement was received with demonstrations of approval. Speeches were heard by almost all the senators present. Hoar made a vigorous plea for unity of action, but said the sugar schedule should be definitely agreed upon at this time and put in shape so as to terminate the unfriendly criticism that had been aroused.

Senator Frye asked the caucus to consider the necessity of profiting in the Hawaiian reciprocity treaty, and made a speech in that behalf. This occurred early in the proceedings and the Hawaiian question was apparently lost sight of in the subsequent proceedings over the main features of the sugar schedule. The senators were generally of the opinion that with the Hawaiian question undisposed of the sugar question was not finally settled, but there was no agreement for a future caucus.

SPANIARDS COURT MARTIALED.

New York, June 8.—A special to the Journal and Advertiser from Havana says: A Spanish captain and two lieutenants were tried by court martial in Las Cabanas fortress and sentenced to be shot for cowardice in having, after eleven days siege, surrendered the government forts at Casa Orto in eastern Cuba to the patriot forces of General Chiquito Garcia.



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